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## NOTES ON NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Senate yesterday adjourned till Monday, when more nominations are expected.

WHEAT sowing has already begun in the great spring wheat region of Dakota. This is what was humorously described as the banana belt at the time of our great blizzard which began March 12th.

The first meeting of Gen. Harrison's Cabinet was held yesterday afternoon. Its only purpose was to enable the members to become acquainted with each other, and no business was transacted.

The total receipts of the inaugural ball, including \$50,000 subscribed as a guarantee fund, foot up \$125,046. The guarantee fund will be returned and a surplus of \$25,000 will be left after the expenses are paid.

For the first time in a half-century the government is being conducted without a Bayard in public life. Both Bayard and Sausbury have become private citizens of Delaware. These two breeds of statesmen have at last run to seed.

In the 24 hours beginning at noon March 3d, the Baltimore and Ohio railroad carried into Washington over 60,000 passengers. This was 50 per cent more than four years ago. The rush gave employment to 120 trains of ten cars each, in addition to the regular trains. The receipts were over \$180,000.

Among the noted absentees from Albany yesterday were Attorney General Tabor and State Treasurer Fitzgerald. The ceiling committee wanted their testimony, but they could not be found. Comptroller Wemple came home from Brooklyn to testify, but probably wished he hadn't before Fish and Seward got through with him.

KEENAN and ENO are in Ottawa, laboring hard to defeat the retroactive features of the Weldon extradition bill, which is to turn all American embezzlers back to the United States. This, it is believed, will be impossible. The bill is expected to go through by a good majority and without amendment. Keenan has friends in Kingston.

New Cabinets were formed in Italy and Serbia yesterday. Each of these Cabinets contains eight ministers like that of President Harrison. France organized a much larger Cabinet a few weeks ago. A sort of Cabinet crisis appears to be sweeping over Europe. There is vastly more fun in it than in war.

CONGRESSMAN LAIRD of Nebraska, who was reported dying a few months ago and did not appear in the House during the last session, has reached Washington on his journey home from the South. His health is greatly improved, though not wholly restored. Should an extra session be called he will be on hand and settle the question of a Republican majority.

THE Union and Advertiser Year Book is a most valuable publication for the people of Rochester and Monroe county, as it is a complete epitome of local events and affairs. It also contains all the general information found in the more pretentious Almanacs issued by the great political organs. It demonstrates the fact that Rochester is a great and rapidly growing city.

In the New York Chamber of Commerce yesterday A. E. Orr nominated ex-President Cleveland for honorary member. Fred. A. Conkling made a speech in opposition. A rising vote was taken. Twenty voted in favor, thirteen against, and a dozen did not vote. It is surprising that opposition should be made to an ex-President of the United States. Mr. Cleveland can hardly regard his election under the circumstances as a compliment.

THE diversion of European emigration from the United States to Mexico and South America is shown in the returns. During January last the arrivals at New York were 3,000 less than during January, 1888. From July 1st to February 1st the falling off was over 24,000. Italian immigration has declined nearly 50 per cent. This is a healthy change, as emigrants have been coming for several years too rapidly to be properly absorbed, civilized and provided for.

EX-SECRETARY WHITNEY has told the Washington correspondent of the Boston Herald that he can find Department on business principles. The bureau chiefs, most of whom had served under former administrations, he found reliable and competent, and he kept them in their places. Indeed, he had made but two changes in the bureau chiefs. As Whitney's Department was the only one which was managed with efficiency and is able to show honorable results, his admission that he relied upon Republican assistants is not likely to surprise anybody.

THE Senate re-elected Mr. Ingalls President pro tem yesterday by a party vote, the Democrats supporting Mr. Voorhees. To make the opportunity for this election Vice President Morton absented himself from the Senate in the morning. This is the usual custom, though Vice President Hendricks refused to vacate the chair for the purpose four years ago, and when he died the Senate was left without a presiding officer. This was also before the passage of the Presidential succession bill, and there would have been no successor to Mr. Cleveland if he had died during the recess of the Senate.

GEN. BLACK, Commissioner of Pensions, has been detected in forcing public employes in his department to divide their salaries with political favorites. W. M. Miller, an old soldier, was promoted from a \$400 to a \$600 position, and compelled to divide the increase with a minor son of Black's private messenger. John Maloney, son of a soldier's widow, was reduced from \$600 to \$400 and afterwards restored on agreeing to divide half the increase with the son of an ex-rebel who is employed in the government printing office. These acts are crimes under the law, and Black is in danger of getting two years in prison and a fine.

## THE GOLD FEVER RAGING

On Pacific Slope; People Going To Lower California.

## RAILROAD WAR IN MONTANA

Battle Expected Between Union And Northern Pacific Employees.

## GENERAL SIMON CAMERON'S

Ninetieth Birthday Celebrated at Harrisburg To-Day.

## MANAGER WESTERN UNION

Will Not Produce Smith's Dispatches Before Committee.

## RESIGNATIONS TENDERED.

EXODUS TO THE NEW GOLD FIELDS.

Thousands of Men En Route to Lower California.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 8.—The gold discoveries in Lower California have created intense excitement in every town in the Western part of the State. The Santa Clara district, where the crowds are rushing, is 150 miles south of San Diego and 40 miles west of Escondido. All along the line thousands are en route to the fields. At San Diego the streets are filled with strangers outfitting for the mines, and with wagons and pack mules loaded with miners' outfits. An average of 600 men a day have left for the mines for the last four days, and yesterday the number was much larger. Waters at the hotels and restaurants have largely left the city. The best indication regarding the value of the mine is that no one has returned except to replenish "grub stakes." The telegraphers have also joined the prospectors. Eight hundred men were camped at Tia Juana last night waiting clearance from the Custom House, Escondido, practically deserted by men. W. C. Vandermer and C. Amend, of San Diego, who were among the first at the mines, arrived at Escondido last night. Both are enthusiastic. Fifteen good rich ledges have already been discovered, and promise a permanent camp. James Kerrane, of Los Angeles, returned from the camp last night. He said: "There are already over 1,000 men on the ground. I paid \$5 for a 50-pound sack of flour, \$3.50 for a 10-pound sack of oatmeal, and drinks are two bits apiece."

San Diego has about gone in a body to the gold country. Four telegrams have been received in this city requesting that hotel waters be sent at once to San Diego, as none could be had there at any price. The guests were left to get their own meals out of the kitchen for one cent a day. Yesterday afternoon a gentleman came up from the Santa Tarrauta mines and brought with him \$9,000 in gold dust which he deposited in bank. Miners who came here for supplies returned on the evening trains. They say the Mexicans, who have been long at work at the diggings, are taking out gold to the extent of \$15 a day each. There is a great lack of mining implements and tools, and the price for tools is high. As to the richness of the ground there is no doubt. The Mexicans pan out from 25 to 50 cents to the pan with the old miners seem to be perfectly content. Indeed, they think they are getting as much as say "When those duffers get through we'll have a picnic." A Mexican took out \$250 in two days in a space eight feet square. There is no doubt as to the richness of the placer. The only question is how extensive are they? The best answer would seem to be found in the fact that the oldest residents and business men of Escondido went to the mines several weeks ago, and despite the fact that merchandizing offers unusual inducements and large profits none have returned. Upward of 500 men will leave Los Angeles for the mines at once.

## A FORENOON DEVOTED TO BUSINESS.

General B. F. Butler Among those who were here to-day.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The rush of visitors to the White House continued to-day, but the callers were much less numerous than on the previous day. For the first time since he entered the White House the President was able to devote the entire forenoon to visitors having business with him. He received up to 11 o'clock, and was engaged with them from 10 o'clock to nearly 1 o'clock. Among those who called were Vice-President Morton with Senator Hiseock, General B. F. Butler, Senators Quay, Farwell, Pad dock, Dolph, Stewart, Wilson, of Iowa, Morrill, Mitchell, Morgan, Hawley, Cullom, Washburn, Sherman, Spooner, Stanford, Chase and Aldrich; Representatives McKinley, Hill, Stevens, Sherman, Reed, Morey, Caldwell, Taylor, Grover, Butterworth, Browne, of Indiana, Cheadle, Farquhar, Adams, Tracy, of Iowa, Cannon, Sawyer, Hiestand, Baker, Boothman, General L. Walce, ex-Senator Saunders, of New Jersey, and others.

Charles W. Lanier (colored), of Indianapolis, has been appointed an usher at the White House in place of Michael Dwyer, who accompanied ex-President Cleveland to New-York.

## TROUBLE BREWING IN MONTANA.

Will Probably be a Fight Between Northern and Union Pacific Men.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

HELENA, Mont., March 8.—Wednesday night 300 men left Butte for the Jefferson Canon armed with Winchester rifles. They were employees of the Union Pacific Railroad and were under the captaincy of a man named Keena. Their instructions are to hold the canon at all hazards. A large number of Northern Pacific men have started from Helena for the same place, and it is certain there will be trouble over the possession of the canon.

## Will Call on Ex-President.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

NEW-YORK, March 8.—Ex-Senator Platt left for Florida, this morning. He will stop at Washington en route and call on President Harrison by invitation.

## IN CEILING INVESTIGATION TO-DAY.

Manager W. U. T. Refuses to Produce Telegrams to and from Smith.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

ALBANY, March 8.—At this morning's session of the Ceiling Investigating Committee, Manager Sabel, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was sworn and questioned in reference to the subpoena served upon him by the Committee, to produce copies of telegrams sent or received by Smith, Rogers, Sullivan and others. Witness said he declined to state whether he had found any, and so declined at the advice of the attorney of the Western Union Company. If the subpoena were modified as suggested by the Western Union Telegraph Company, yesterday, he could not say that he would then produce the telegrams desired. Mr. Seward then orally modified the subpoena accordingly, asking for copies of all telegrams sent to or from Philadelphia of New York to Albany, from or to Smith, Rogers, Sullivan or Mrs. Sullivan. The subpoena, as taken by the stenographer, was then read, and given to Mr. Sabel, who said he would confer with the Western Union officials as to complying with the subpoena. Assemblyman Ainsworth, Chairman of the Appropriations Committee, was asked to read the facts as to the first discussions in the Legislature of the matter came up early both in the House and the Senate. Up to the time of the shoring up of the old ceiling witness had talked with many members of the House, Governor Hill and other State officers and experts, and the general opinion was that the ceiling was in an unsafe condition, and must come down eventually, though some members thought it was a scare. He talked with Commissioner Perry, who regarded the ceiling as unsafe. A resolution was introduced at one time providing for an inquiry by the Legislature into the matter, but it failed to pass. The members of the House, Governor Hill and other State officers and experts, and the general opinion was that the ceiling was in an unsafe condition, and must come down eventually, though some members thought it was a scare. He talked with Commissioner Perry, who regarded the ceiling as unsafe. 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## RAILROAD CONSOLIDATION.

## UNION OF "BEE LINE" AND "BIG 4" MAY BE CONSUMMATED.

What a Morning Paper Says About It—A "Pamper" Discovered to be Worth \$6,528—Charged With Embezzlement—Other News.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

CHICAGO, March 8.—A morning paper says: "One of the Vanderbilt party talking last night about the union of the 'Bee Line' and the 'Big 4' systems outlined the situation as follows: 'It is reported that the Vanderbilts have recently purchased about 15,000 shares of the 'Big 4' stock, the price averaging 100. This merely gave them a minority interest, but their purpose has always been held to be the ultimate capture of the Chesapeake and Ohio, now controlled by C. P. Huntington, the 'Big 4' being controlled by Mr. Huntington, Drexel, Morgan & Co., George Bliss and M. E. Ingalls.' To get the 'Bee Line' and Ohio they need the 'Big 4,' which feeds it. Hence the deal now consummated. It will be extended by making the consolidated lines jointly lease the Indianapolis & St. Louis Road, which has long been a burden to the 'Bee Line,' its annual deficit amounting to several hundred thousand dollars. It is not believed that new capital stock will be issued. Each line will go into the new combination upon terms that will give each line a certain per cent. of the earnings of the combined lines."

## INDIANA "PAUPER" WORTH \$6,528.

Has Been Discharged From Poor House. Claims to be Russian Exile.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

CHAMFORDVILLE, Ind., March 8.—George Cook, aged 70, an inmate of the Poor House, was yesterday discovered to have \$6,528 hidden in a box under his bed, \$4,000 of it being gold. Cook came to the Poor House from seven months ago. Day before yesterday he got into the hands of the Superintendent, who put him in the calaboose to cool off. Fearing he might have fire-arms, the Superintendent searched his room and found \$12. This he returned to Cook, who, supposing the whole amount had been found, confessed. He was discharged from the poor farm, and now has his money in a bank. He is a queer character, and claims to be a Russian exile.

## Divorce Lawyer Arrested.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

CHICAGO, March 8.—C. J. Beattie, a divorce lawyer, was jailed last night, charged with furnishing a bogus decree and introducing perjured evidence. The decree was given to Mrs. Ada Gordon, a good-looking young brunette, who subsequently married a New Yorker, Arthur Wilson. A genuine decree was not entered until months after the Wilson wedding.

## Brokers Charged with Embezzlement.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

CINCINNATI, March 8.—Miss Nellie Hayden, yesterday afternoon, swore out a warrant against Albert Netter, a broker, and his partner, John R. Long. Netter could not be found, but Long was arrested. The warrant charges them with embezzling certain bonds which they were employed to sell.

## SOME TEMPERANCE LITERATURE.

Contributed by the Rondout Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union, of Rondout, contributes the following to THE FREEMAN:

SOCIAL TEMPERANCE WORK.

No severer blow could be dealt to the drinking habit than to have the conscience of our people so aroused that the fact of a man's drinking should exclude him from social recognition. When a man finds doors that were wont to be hospitably open closed in his face, when he finds men of whose acquaintance or friendship he is proud breaking off cordial relations and passing him in the street with a formal nod of recognition instead of a hearty handshake; when he finds the father of his children looking askance at him and evincing a desire to avoid his presence, what more powerful incentive could he have to abandon at once all convivial habits, and to walk in the path of absolute rectitude as regards drinking?

## DRINKING A FARM.

My homeless friend with the chromatic nose, while you are stirring up the sugar in the 10-cent glass of beer, let me give you a taste with dash down with it. "You say you have longed for years for the free, independent life of a farmer, but have never been able to get enough money together to buy a farm. That is just where you are at now. Taken. For several years you have been drinking a good improved farm at the rate of 100 square feet at a gulp. If you doubt this statement figure it out yourself. A few acres of land contain 43,560 square feet. Estimating for convenience the land at \$43.56 per acre, you will see that it brings the land to just one mill per square foot, one cent for 10 square feet. Now pour down your drinking, and imagine you are swallowing a strawberry patch. Call in five of your friends and have them help you gulp down the 500-foot garden. Get on a prolonged spree some day, and see how long a time it requires to swallow a pasture large enough to feed a cow. Put down that glass of beer; there's dirt in it—100 square feet of good, rich dirt, worth \$43.56 per acre.—Robert Burdette.

## Sanguinities.

James Sickles has become temporarily deaf.

Theodore Winchell is boring an artesian well.

John E. Lasher and wife, of this village, are now at Los Vegas Hot Springs, New Mexico.

## The members of the Lasher Republican Club held lively socials, Monday, in honor of Harrison's inauguration.

The Young People's Association of the Congregational Church met on Friday evening at the residence of John Gillespie.

"Our Country and Its Perils" will be the topic at the prayer meeting, to-morrow evening, in the chapel of the Young Men's Christian Association State Convention at Watkinsville, Ga.

The subject for the prayer meeting, which was held last night in the Reformed Chapel, was: "Our Country—Its Grand Future and Its Perils."

The Methodist Church has the Rev. J. M. Ramsey, its present pastor, the Rev. J. M. Ramsey, to continue his pastorate with the Church, which is in a prosperous condition.

## Stamford, Delaware County.

Scoundrels here cut and otherwise marred the work of our great men. They were driven to this village one day recently.

Victor Crowell, a boy, was severely injured while coasting one day recently.

Eggs are 14 cents per dozen, potatoes 80 cents per bushel and good hay \$10 per ton here.

## Shandaken.

Hiram Whitney and E. S. Whitney, attended the inauguration of President Harrison.

## SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

Pure gold always has its base imitation. It is so with Salsation Oil, which is worth its weight in gold to all sufferers from rheumatism, neuralgia, or gout. See that you get the genuine. 25 cents.

## A LUCKY MAN.

Mr. Lyman Crawford, Druggist, of Springfield, Mass., says: "For years I was afflicted with kidney disease in its worst form, and I state, with a perfect recollection of the fact, that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., gave me permanent relief."

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THE REV. GEO. H. TAYLOR, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by Frederick J. R. Clark.

I suffered from a very severe cold in my head for months and used everything recommended but could get no relief. Was advised to use Ely's Cream Balm. It has worked me a complete cure. I am free from my cold after using the Balm one week, and I believe it is the best remedy known. Feeling grateful for what it has done for me I send this testimonial.—Samuel J. Harris, Wholesale Grocer, 119 Front-street, New York.

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## ADVISE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain in the stomach and bowels? If so, mother, get a bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Syrup for children teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the system. Mrs. Wm. W. Southey, Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best medical nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kingston Water Company, will be held at the office of the company, No. 421 Fair-street, in the City of Kingston, N. Y., on Tuesday, the 19th day of March next. The poll for each election will be kept open from 7 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

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## OPENING OF NAVIGATION.

THE CONDITION OF THE HUDSON RIVER THIS DAY.

Steamboats that have resumed their routes—Bottoms Making Ready for the Season's Work—Lists of Officers of Popular Steamers.

The wind blew a gale on the Hudson River, last night and to-day, and where ice, yesterday, remained long shore, it was torn loose and carried away by the tide. Between this City and Hudson the River is clear, and above that point but little ice remains. Ferry-boats are making regular trips and meeting with no serious obstacles. At Crum Elbow, where large floating fields were piled up, for the past two days, the wind effected a "break," and by to-morrow the "Elbow" is believed, will be open. In fact, the condition of the Hudson was such to-day that but little difficulty would have been experienced for a steamboat to have made a trip from New York to this City. What ice there is in the Hudson is fast disappearing.

**STONE BRIGITLY.**  
The lamp in the Esopus Light House shone brightly last night. The lamp had not been lighted before since the close of navigation last fall.

**ON THEIR ROUTES.**  
The propeller D. S. Miller, which arrived at Poughkeepsie from New York on Thursday morning, is now running regularly between those places. It has encountered but little ice. The propeller Hasbrouck will probably resume its route on Saturday, March 16.

On Wednesday night navigation was opened between New York and Newburgh by the propeller Newburgh, of the Honorable Ramsell Transportation Company, making the initial trip from the Metropolis to that place. The only ice that the propeller encountered was near Cold Spring, but it was not of sufficient thickness to impede the boat's progress. The propeller Homer Ramsell, owned by the same Company, will begin running to-morrow.

**THE FIRST TOW.**  
The first tow from this port to New York City will probably leave here on Monday, and will be made up of the following craft: Icebergs Topsy, Chaucery, Tanager, Chase, Basher, ice boat Basher, for the Riggs Company; ice barge David Anderson, for the Newark Ice Company; boats Albert Little, J. S. Hutton, Charles E. Rourke, John Owens and several cement boats. It is not as yet known which of the Cornell Company's steamboats or propellers will take the tow.

**PASSENGER STEAMERS.**  
The steamer "City of Kingston," of the Cornell Steamboat Company's line, and the steamboats James W. Baldwin, J. H. Tremper and M. Martin, of the Rorer & Tremper Line, are being painted and otherwise improved. No dates have yet been made or fixed for the steamer "City of Kingston," and Baldwin to begin to make regular trips between Rondout and New York City. The Tremper and Martin, will probably be started about March 25.

**NAMES OF OFFICERS.**  
The "City of Kingston," this season, will be officered as follows:  
W. S. VanKuren, Captain  
E. G. Gage, First Pilot  
W. H. Mable, Second Pilot  
J. H. Brando, Engineer  
George H. Lenth, Second Engineer  
Charles Lezotte, Assistant Engineer  
A. VanWert, Steward  
Henry F. Gage, Freight Clerk  
O. A. Smith, Assistant Freight Clerk  
Henry VanWert, Steward  
The following will be the officers of the James W. Baldwin:  
Jacob H. Tremper, Captain  
Isaac DeLaVerge, Purser  
James & Secord, Freight Clerk  
Gardner Betts, A. L. Brooks, Pilots  
David Jackson, Alfred Edson, Engineers  
John Kelleman, Steward  
The officers of the steamboat J. H. Tremper will be:  
T. Scott Milligan, Captain  
Ezra Hunter, Pilot  
E. H. Cook, Steward  
James Smith, Mate  
On the steamboat M. Martin the officers will be as follows:  
Zachariah Roosa, Captain  
C. De La Fontaine, Clerk  
Edward Lawson, Pilot  
Nathan Purdy, Engineer  
Thomas Gallagher, Mate

**BOATS AND BOATMEN.**  
The tug being built at Athens will be named Idlewild.  
The propeller J. C. Hart, of the Cornell Steamboat Company's line, is being painted.  
The steam passenger yacht Charles A. Schultz, of the Haber Steamboat Company's line, running between Rondout and Eddyville, is being well patronized.

Repairs to the steam yacht Eliza Anderson, now on McMillen's wharf at Slighthead, have been completed, and the yacht will be launched in a day or two.

**NOTES.**  
The Hudson River was closed by ice this winter for the shortest time in 38 years.

Navigation at Poughkeepsie was suspended for a little less than one month during the season of 1888-89.

**MINOR NOTES AROUND THIS TOWN.**  
Heard by Attaches of "The Daily Freeman" on the Streets To-Day.

There will be a meeting of this City's Common Council to-night.

The snow shovel was an article but little used this winter in this City.

Sixteen eggs for 25 cents were sold by Ulster County farmers on Rondout streets to-day.

The members of the Fourteenth Separate Company, of this City, held a meeting last night.

Fair weather, preceded by light snow, cooler, north-westerly winds, promised by "indications" for Saturday.

F. Gallagher, of Kingston, has decided to erect a dwelling house on Fair-street, between St. Charles and Bowery-streets.

Charles G. Kentor, of Roxbury, proprietor of one of the largest dairies in Delaware County, was in Rondout yesterday.

James J. Stries, of Kingston, celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday on Thursday. Mr. Stries is a vigorous man for his age.

**TOWNS HAVE BEGUN PROCEEDINGS.**  
To Compel County Treasurer to Set Aside Certain Monies.

Eight of the towns in Delaware County which issued bonds and took stock in the Rondout & Oswego and Midland Railroads have begun proceedings similar to those begun by the towns of Olive and Rosendale, in Ulster County, to compel the County Treasurer of Delaware County to set aside the money paid by the railroad for taxes to create a sinking fund to pay the bonded indebtedness of the towns. Eleven of the non-bonded towns have combined to resist the proceedings, and a Committee representing their interests came to Kingston, to-day, and consulted with A. T. Clearwater, as counsel, to assist in the defense of the proceedings.

**A False Rumor.**  
It was rumored in Kingston, yesterday afternoon, that a portion of the Overlook Mountain House had blown down. People from "the Ridge" looked through powerful glasses to see if there was truth in the story. The house stood out plainly, and apparently in good condition. The tower could be seen with the naked eye.

**Philharmonic Society.**  
The members of the Kingston Philharmonic Society are actively rehearsing for a benefit concert to be given in the month of April.

**Has the Asthma.**  
It is said a Kingston young woman is the owner of a piano which has the asthma.

## SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK SYSTEM.

Said to be Working Successfully in District No. 3, Rondout.

At a recent meeting of the Trustees of School District No. 3, Rondout, the Principal, J. Eadie, reported the working of the School Savings Bank in the school. During the 11 weeks the system has been in operation, \$91.65 have been deposited in the bank as a school fund. At the end of each month deposits of any pupil amounting to \$1 or more were transferred from the school fund to an individual account and a book for the same given to the pupil. In this way \$55.91 were transferred to individual accounts and 32 bank books are now in the hands of pupils. The number of depositors is 118 and of the entire deposit \$1.50 have been withdrawn, while a balance of \$34.24 remains in the school fund. From a consideration of these figures it will be seen that the system is accomplishing the purpose intended. It is teaching the children, in a practical manner, to be careful in small things. Experience so far shows that the School Savings Bank receives pennies saved by the children, and is in no sense used as a convalescent for pennies. The deposits are made largely in pennies, five and ten cent pieces. At the rate of these first weeks the deposits for a school year would amount to some \$350, which, in itself, is worth preserving from being squandered in useless, if not often in injurious, ways. But when account is taken of the formation of habits of thrift by patient and persistent accumulation through small sums, the benefits arising from the system become so obvious that its general adoption is not only justifiable, but extremely desirable. Since its inception nearly four years ago, the School Savings Bank has won for itself such popular favor that a bill is at present before the Legislature at Albany to make it a part of the regular school work throughout the State, and a resolution is now being considered by the Board of Regents in the City of New York, arranging for its introduction into the schools of that City. In this State the system has been introduced voluntarily by progressive teachers in Long Island City, Buffalo, Amsterdam, Hornellsville, Elmira and many smaller places.

## PASTORS, PEOPLES AND CHURCHES.

News Gathered in the Religious Field in this City and Vicinity.

The proceeds of the Martha Washington party recently held in the Reformed Church, High Falls, was \$105.

The members of the Clinton-Avenue Congregational Church, Albany, are talking of erecting a new church edifice.

The members of the Kingston Young Men's Christian Association Auxiliary will hold a meeting in the Association rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The first annual conference of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, of Delaware and Chenango Counties, will be held at Norwich, on March 13 and 14.

Interesting services will be held in the Clinton-Avenue M. E. Church, Kingston, on Sunday evening. It will be a quarterly missionary meeting of the Sunday School classes. Short addresses will be delivered.

The Rev. J. J. Keegan delivered his farewell sermon in St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Goshen, on Sunday. He goes to a charge in New York. He will be succeeded at Goshen by the Rev. Dr. Callaghan, lately of St. Stephen's, New York.

The Rev. D. Johnson Myers, of Cincinnati, whose parents reside in this City, and who has been called to a charge in New York City, is thus spoken of by the *New York Evening*:

"We are rejoicing in the disappointment awaiting the Central Church, of New York. The Rev. D. J. Myers, of Cincinnati, belongs there—that is, the Ninth-street. It is quite right and natural, as well as scriptural, that the Central should 'covet earnestly the best gifts,' but we can show them a more excellent way. Let them hear with patience the discipline of disappointment. Mr. Myers will remain in Cincinnati. It would be a sad thing for the Church if he should leave. His Church has risen as one man and refused to let him go. A man 650 strong is a sizeable affair, and can hold one man down."

Mr. Myers was at one time a member of the Kingston Baptist Church.

## THE RECORD OF CITY AMUSEMENTS.

Barry and Fay To-Night—Miss Settle Blume—American Opera Society.

Moore and Vivian and company will appear at Liscomb's Opera House, Rondout, on March 15, in the play of "Soldier's Shingle."

On Wednesday evening, March 30, the American Opera Company will be at Kingston Opera House. The Company numbers 80 people.

The following is about Miss Settle Blume, elocutionist, and it was first published in the *New York Sun*: "She is a charming reader, always securing the interest of her audience, moving them readily from laughter to tears. The young lady is beyond doubt a genius, possessing a winsome way, and richly endowed with all the qualifications essential to a dramatic reader. On March 18 Miss Blume will give readings at Liscomb's Opera House, Rondout, in aid of a building fund for the Congregation Emanuel. Miss S. Crosby, violinist, of this City, will assist."

At Liscomb's Opera House, to-night, Barry and Fay, well known Irish comedians, will appear in the comedy entitled McKenna's Flirtation. The *New York Times* has said of this comedy: "There are a great many comedians, but the most irresistible of the whole profession are Barry and Fay. Seldom is such utter abandonment to mirth seen as was witnessed at the Grand Opera House last night. Old, straight-laced, solemn-visaged citizens, seldom known to smile, threw themselves into all sorts of contortions and whooped and yelled like schoolboys. A man in the very jaws of destruction would be bound to laugh at McKenna's Flirtation."

**That Precocious Boy Again.**  
A precocious Poncehockie boy had his photograph "taken" the other day. His uncle, desiring to send one of the portraits to a friend in England, wrote the following on a slip of paper and asked the boy to recopy it on the back of the portrait:  
"To Uncle—'s English Friend."  
"From a Little American boy."

When the portrait and copy were given the lad he shook his head and appeared dissatisfied. His mother asked him why he acted in that manner.

"I ain't going to send my picture to the English, because they came over here and taxed us on tea," was the youngster's answer.

**Accidents.**  
Joseph Hampson, of Newburgh, slipped and fell on a sidewalk there, on Tuesday evening. His leg was broken.

William Pierce was killed at the Sterling iron mines, Orange County, on Wednesday by being struck on the head by a large rock.

Thomas Kelly, Jr., an Erie brakeman residing at Otisville, fell from a coal train, near Port-Jervis, on Tuesday morning, and was killed.

**Deaths and Funerals.**  
John A. Gildersleeve, of Poughkeepsie, died yesterday, of cancer of the stomach, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Isaac S. Rector, of Hugobonville, Dutchess County, dropped dead in his barn on Wednesday of heart disease.

The Rev. W. T. Clapp, of the Baptist Church at Towners, Putnam County, died on Monday of heart disease.

**White Cap Nonsense.**  
Last night an alleged "White Cap" letter was shoved under a Rondout man's door. The recipient of the letter says he will have it framed and preserve it "in remembrance of one of the biggest fools on earth."

**Special Term.**  
There will be a regular special term of the Supreme Court held at Chambers, Kingston, on Saturday next. It is expected that Judge Edwards will preside.

**Society Notes.**  
The "Harmakers," of Kingston's Tribe of Improved Order of Red Men, held a meeting last night.

The Harper W. Rogers Paper Company of Hudson, has been incorporated with a capital of \$30,000.

## LIST OF APPOINTMENTS

OF NOTARIES PUBLIC FILED IN COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

When the Terms of Office of Those Reappointed Expire—Must Qualify On or Before Certain Time—Names of The Appointees.

The following list of appointments of notaries for this County has been filed in the Ulster County Clerk's office, in Kingston. The terms of office of those reappointed expire March 30. County Clerk Wurts has sent out notices to each person to qualify on or before that time:

City of Kingston, DuBois G. Atkins, James A. Betts, Joseph M. Schaeffer, A. W. Reynolds, Alva S. Newbury, John E. Kraft, D. E. Keyser, Cornelius Hume, Everett Fowler, O. P. Carpenter, Howard Chipp, Jr., James Cummings, Henry B. DePuy, Daniel B. Devo, Morris W. Elting, Luke R. Fort, S. B. Sharpe, Israel Snyder, John G. VanEtten, L. B. Vanderpool, Virgil B. VanWagonen, Matthew Winchell, Henry Abbey, Edwin C. Brando, Oscar L. Eastman, Christopher C. Flannigan, William Kleser, DeWitt Roosa, Peter E. Schoonmaker, Frederick Stephan, Jr., J. H. Stratton, Ellenville, Morris DePoni, John B. Dwyer, John T. DeWitt, Mrs. Mary E. Hanse, James B. Keeler, Cornelius A. VanWagoner, Saugerties, Benjamin M. Coon, Benjamin M. Brink, Charles Davis, Samuel W. Mercland, Richard B. Overbaugh, Carroll Whitaker, Rosendale, Abraham B. DuBois, George W. Hasbrouck, Rufus Snyder, Accord, William O. Haines, John D. Winfield, High Falls, John Brodhead, Luke W. Krom, Wallkill, James Bostwick, Samuel J. Dill, George Keeler, New Paltz, George E. Rust, John Schmidt, Marlborough, Rock, Jr., David Sands, Port-Ewen, B. Fuller McKenzie, P. A. Schryver, Josiah Hasbrouck, Jr., Crawford, Benjamin S. Fullerton, Fly Mountain, Ralph Burger, Forest Glen, Abraham LeFebvre, West Hurley, John S. Everett, Woodstock, Edgar Snyder, Marquette, John C. Oliver, William C. Meach Woolsey, Momboc, William H. Terwilliger, Nanapanoch, Louis Champagne, Olive, Jeremiah Matthews, Phoenicia, John Blythe, Cornelius C. Shone, Quarryville, William H. Hommel, Jr., Shawangunk, C. A. J. Hardenburgh, Shokan, Benjamin Turner, Jr., Stone Ridge, Abram Kelder, Ulster Park, Daniel W. Benton, Highland, Abraham D. Lent, Bellayre, William E. Blair, Brodheads, Andries D. W. Delamater.

## RECOGNIZED HIM BY THE SCAR.

Story Related by a Kingston Man—After Many Years.

"There are many changes in this world," said a Kingston man to-day. "When I was a boy and went to school I had a playfellow who was the raggedest, dirtiest urchin I think that I ever saw. One day we quarreled. He struck me with a stone on my head. I carry the scar to this day. Not long after my father moved from the place where we then lived, and in course of time I came to this City. Recently I had occasion to take a business trip and stopped in the town where I went to school with the ragged urchin. On one of the streets in the place I saw a name on a sign that seemed familiar. It brought up a flood of recollections. It was a handsome building. I inquired where the merchant proprietor was. I was directed to an office. I walked in. 'I have something to say to you,' I said. 'Well, sir,' he answered. 'I want to hear you. You struck me with a stone, what have you to say to that?' 'My dear sir,' replied the gentleman, 'you are laboring under a mistake. I don't even know you.' 'You did,' I shouted, 'and I can prove it.' He looked a little startled, then, setting back in his chair, said, 'very well, I will hear your proofs.' I pushed back my hair. 'Do you see that scar?' You struck me with a stone. That scar is the result. A light of recognition broke over his face, he said, 'you are John and I am James.' He held out his hand, and I justed to feel his hand was my hand. He insisted upon my going with him to his home and accepting his hospitality. I lived in clover for two days, being unable to tear myself away. My ragged playfellow was one of the wealthiest men in the town."

## SOME PHASES OF THE SEAMY SIDE.

Before Recorder Hussey—Will Make Application—The Jail List.

There were 40 inmates in the Ulster County Jail, Kingston, last night.

There are 23 prisoners in the Dutchess County Jail who were sentenced by Justices of the Peace in the town of Fishkill.

Charles Lewis, Tax Collector in the town of Highlands, Orange County, was assaulted on the highway, Sunday morning, near Cox's Flat, and robbed of \$170.

In Recorder's Court, this forenoon, men named James Wilson, David Stander and Hubert Rice were sentenced to the Ulster County Jail for 30 days each for intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Men named Egrasy Brounman, Thomas Fabish, Valentine Rarzkowski and a woman named Anna Brounman, charged with assaulting one Rom Koloski, of Hudson, settled the matter, this forenoon, in Recorder's Court, without going to trial.

Two houses were robbed at Pleasant Valley, Dutchess County, on Tuesday. At the house of Henry Horton a pocketbook, which had been secreted under a carpet and contained \$150, was secured, and at the house of Jacob Storms \$6.

William Burke, who was sent to the Ulster County Jail in Kingston yesterday, to await the action of the Grand Jury, for stabbing John Boylan with a knife, on Friday night, will make an application to the Special Term of the Supreme Court, Saturday, to be admitted to bail.

## ULSTER CO. SURROGATE'S COURT.

Hearing to be Had in Matter of a Large Estate—The Facts.

On Tuesday a hearing will be had in Ulster Surrogate's Court in the matter of the estate of James T. Soutter, who was born in Virginia. He amassed considerable property, leaving an estate of nearly \$1,000,000. His will was made in London. A codicil was executed in New-York, his place of residence. Both will and codicil were entered in the Ulster County Surrogate's office in 1897. The opening clause of the will is as follows:

"Grateful to the Giver of every good, that He has given me some property to bestow upon my family, and still more grateful that He has given me loved ones to whom I can transmit it, I, James Taylor Soutter, a native of the State of Virginia, and resident of the City of New-York, and now of London, England, do proceed to declare this to be by my last will and testament," etc.

There has been litigation for several years in the United States Court. Late the matter was brought in Ulster Surrogate's Court, an accounting of the Executors being asked for. The account was filed this week. It embraces items to the amount of \$1,639,925.57, and covers 100 printed pages and 13 type written pages. It is the most voluminous account ever filed in the Ulster Surrogate's office.

**Ice Notes.**  
Ice cutting ended at Rockland Lake Saturday. One-third the usual crop was gathered.

The amount of ice stored at Coeymans exceeds by 600 tons the amount shipped from that locality during 1888. The amount stored is 94,000.

The Knickerbocker Ice Company succeeded in getting its Staatsburgh house about half full—12,000 tons. The Mutual Benefit Company at the same place housed 20,000 tons and stacked 5,000.

**Let It Scream.**  
Monroe Truesdell, of Preston Hollow, Greene County, has an eagle that has a spread of wings of eight feet.

**Industrial.**  
The Harper W. Rogers Paper Company of Hudson, has been incorporated with a capital of \$30,000.

## PUBLISHED SIXTY-EIGHT YEARS AGO.

Some of the Items of News Gathered in Days Gone By.

A Kingston man has a file of newspapers published here 68 years ago. The following are some of the items of news of that date:

"An ingenious machine has been invented so that one man can make 20,000 weight of candles in a day."

The following is charged for tuition at Kingston Academy: "Spelling, reading and writing per quarter \$2.25; arithmetic, English grammar and geography \$2.50; geometry and trigonometry with application to the art of surveying \$3.50; algebra, \$4. Each scholar must provide stationery and a share of fire-wood."

Colonel John Dumond orders the commissioned and non-commissioned officers and musicians of the One Hundred and Thirty-First Regiment to meet in Saugerties "equipped as the law directs for military improvement."

It is stated in one of the papers as an extraordinary circumstance that after a Circuit Court had sat six days, to the great astonishment of the attorneys and everybody else, it was found that the whole civil business had been disposed of. When the District Attorney was asked if he had any criminal business he replied he had not. Fifty contested civil cases had been tried, and there were six convictions of crime. The editor goes on to compliment the Judge; that his charges to the jury "were luminous and satisfactory," and closed by saying that Providence placed this Judge in that position, and the people should retain him there. Why Providence did not keep him there, is not explained.

Chancellor Kent grants an injunction against stevedores from New Jersey, which ventured to carry passengers from New York to Albany on the ground that the Legislature has given the exclusive right in this State to the North River steamboat proprietors to carry passengers.

A quarter of a column is devoted to an accident which befell a boy in the town of Marlborough. The boy while swimming in the "Redoubt" Creek suddenly disappeared. His companions left the Creek and some distance away found a negro man who was a good swimmer. He asked him to take him to their aid. They examined several holes in the Creek without finding the boy. Finally one of the party looking into a deep hole, shouted: "I see him, he stands on his head." The colored man caught him by the leg and pulled him up. After the boy had acquired a quantity of water he was resuscitated.

It is stated with exactitude points that at least \$500,000 are annually sent out of the United States to pay for imported leghorn bonnets.

Madame Catalina cleared 15,000 guineas during a four-months' excursion to Russia, besides receiving presents from the Imperial Family and nobility worth as much more. Her voice is still said to be in full vigor."

The barn and cow-house of a man were struck by lightning and burned. The paper says: "It is hoped this additional instance of the frequency of barns being struck by lightning will induce farmers to provide themselves with lightning rods," and then it goes on to say that the man whose barn was burned had bought a lightning rod and had placed a ladder against his barn to put it up.

"The remains of Major Andre were disinterred at Tappan, under the direction of the British Consul. Great caution was observed in taking up a small peach tree that was growing out of the grave, as the Consul stated his intention of sending it to His Majesty, to be placed in one of the royal gardens. When they reached the coffin lid was raised, and the skeleton of brave Andre appeared entire, bone to bone, each in its place. The remains were taken in a sarcophagus on board 'His Majesty's packet.'"

"Mrs. Timothy Budge recently died at Poughkeepsie, leaving a bag containing 25,600 six-pences."

Among the Ulster Over and Terminer items are the following: Tom, a slave, convicted of assault and battery—one year in the County prison. Eve, a free black woman, crime grand larceny—to State Prison four years."

On Wednesday, March 20, the following item appears: "The navigation of the Hudson is now altogether free from obstruction of ice. Two of our sloops returned from New-York on Sunday last, having left our landing some seven days previously, which is an earlier commencement of navigation of that River than has been known for several years past."

**Could Not Think of Name.**  
The following conversation ensued between two Kingston lawyers this forenoon:

"Won a law suit in Nanapanoch, eh?"

"Yes, had jury trial, verdict for defendant."

"Umph! Before what justice did you try it?"

"Squire—squire—well let me see, what is his name? Oh! what's the name of that stuff you drink that goes fizz when you pour it out?"

"Jersey cider?"

"No."

"Champagne?"

"Yes, that's it, we tried the suit before 'Squire Champagne, of the town of Wawarsing."

**Great is New-Paltz.**  
(From the New-Paltz Times.)

Knapp, one of the officers of the Dutchess and Ulster Farmers' Club, is in favor of holding meetings on this side of the Hudson River. All right, Mr. Knapp, come to New-Paltz. We have a large public hall, State Normal School, Insane Asylum and a new Poor House. In fact, New-Paltz is the only wide-awake, go-ahead town in Ulster County. We have two local printing offices, and have furnished more to fill county offices than all the other towns outside of Kingston combined. We repeat, come over, Mr. Knapp, and bring all the Dutchess County farmers and fruit-growers with you. We have room for all.

**The Snow Fall in Delaware.**  
(From the Andes Recorder.)

The snow fall so far this season has been three inches in November, nine in December, 13 in January and 23 in February. Once in December the mercury fell below zero, once in January, and nine times in February, an average of temperature as cold as December and January together. This is quite a diversity as compared with ordinary winters in larger quantities of rain and less depth of snow. South winds have prevailed more than usual the past three months.

**Affairs of Railroads.**  
A railroad to run between Bethlehem and Schoharie, Schoharie County, may soon be built.

The experiment of lighting Wagner cars with gas will soon be tried on the New-York Central.

The West Shore Railroad list of hotels and boarding houses along its route for the season of 1899 is in course of preparation. Many additions have been made.

**Case of Local Interest.**  
The case of Eliza Ann Shaffer, respondent, vs. Joseph H. Riskey, appellant, was argued in the Second Division of the Court of Appeals, at Albany, to-day, by John F. Cloonan, of Rondout, for appellant; William Lounsbury, of Kingston, for respondent.

**Sporting.**  
James T. VanDalsen was elected Commodore of the Newburgh Canoe and Boat Association, at the annual meeting, Tuesday evening.

**Good for Coxackie!**  
Coxackie has a surplus in its village treasury. Few places along the Hudson River are similarly afflicted.

**Fishermen Prophecy.**  
Shad fishermen here expect that toothsome fish to put in an early appearance this year and are making preparations for their work.

## ALONG THE HUDSON RIVER.

A DAY'S NEWS IN A NUMBER OF ENTERPRISING COUNTIES.

What Has Been Transpiring in the Counties on the East and West Shores—The Gist of the Goings-On Presented—Men, Matters, Things, Etc.

A lodge of the order of Red Men may be established at Coeymans.

Cuyler Lansing, of Poughkeepsie, was severely bruised by a runaway yesterday.

William W. Smith and wife, of Poughkeepsie, have gone on an extended Southern trip.

Rhinebeck has voted to continue work on the roads with a stone crusher. The appropriation is \$2,000.

Joseph Hampson, of Newburgh, fell and broke his leg, on Tuesday evening by reason of a defective sidewalk.

A hot-carrier named Dawson fell from a scaffold, at Newburgh, Tuesday forenoon, and broke his leg in two places.

At a recent drill the Cowles Guard, of Hudson, numbered 55 men, besides an "awkward squad" of half dozen recruits.

There was a "man-of-war" florists along the Hudson River, on Saturday, on account of the large demand for cut flowers at Washington.

Miss Maria Speenburgh, of Coeymans, while doing her housework one day recently, fell in such a manner as to fracture her breast bone.

There is great dissatisfaction found with the water furnished Poughkeepsie people and a message has been sent to the Water Board on that subject.

John Ryan, an old resident of Port-Jervis was found dead in the mud, at the bottom of the Delaware and Hudson Canal, at Port-Jervis, on Tuesday morning.

The oldest school building in Orange County, situated at Stewartstown, was sold on Saturday. The seats are of two and one-half inch plank and 12 feet long.

A Poughkeepsie man, named John Heffern, while suffering with *delirium tremens*, yesterday morning, cut his throat with a bread knife. It is supposed he will recover.

Lewis Baker, of Poughkeepsie, was arrested, on Monday, in Washington, D. C., and fined \$25, for trouble caused by getting off a sidewalk there and getting in collision with the mounted police. The fine was subsequently remitted.







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## NOTES ON NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Senate yesterday adjourned till Monday, when more nominations are expected.

WHEAT sowing has already begun in the great spring wheat region of Dakota. This is what was humorously described as the banana belt at the time of our great blizzard which began March 12th.

The first meeting of Gen. Harrison's Cabinet was held yesterday afternoon. Its only purpose was to enable the members to become acquainted with each other, and no business was transacted.

The total receipts of the inaugural ball, including \$50,000 subscribed as a guarantee fund, foot up \$125,046. The guarantee fund will be returned and a surplus of \$25,000 will be left after the expenses are paid.

For the first time in a half-century the government is being conducted without a Bayard in public life. Both Bayard and Salisbury have become private citizens of Delaware. These two breeds of statesmen have at last run to seed.

In the 24 hours beginning at noon March 3d, the Baltimore and Ohio railroad carried into Washington over 60,000 passengers. This was 50 per cent more than four years ago. The rush gave employment to 120 trains of ten cars each, in addition to the regular trains. The receipts were over \$180,000.

Among the noted absentees from Albany yesterday were Attorney General Tabor and State Treasurer Fitzgerald. The ceiling committee wanted their testimony, but they could not be found. Comptroller Wemple came home from Brooklyn to testify, but probably wished he hadn't before Fish and Seward got through with him.

KEENAN and ENO are in Ottawa, laboring hard to defeat the retroactive features of the Weldon extradition bill, which is to turn all American embezzlers back to the United States. This, it is believed, will be impossible. The bill is expected to go through by a good majority and without amendment. Keenan has friends in Kingston.

New Cabinets were formed in Italy and Serbia yesterday. Each of these Cabinets contains eight ministers like that of President Harrison. France organized a new larger Cabinet a few weeks ago. A sort of Cabinet craze appears to be sweeping over Europe. There is vastly more fun in it than in war.

CONGRESSMAN LAIRD of Nebraska, who was reported dying a few months ago and did not appear in the House during the last session, has reached Washington on his journey home from the South. His health is greatly improved, though not wholly recovered. Should an extra session be called he will be on hand and settle the question of a Republican majority.

The Union and Advertiser Year Book is a most valuable publication for the people of Rochester and Monroe county, as it is a complete epitome of local events and affairs. It also contains all the general information found in the more pretentious Almanacs issued by the great political organs. It demonstrates the fact that Rochester is a great and rapidly growing city.

Is the New York Chamber of Commerce yesterday A. E. Orr nominated ex-President Cleveland for honorary member. Fred A. Conkling made a speech in opposition. A rising vote was taken. Twenty voted in favor, thirteen against, and a dozen did not vote. It is surprising that opposition should be made to an ex-President of the United States. Mr. Cleveland can hardly regard his election under the circumstances as a compliment.

The diversion of European emigration from the United States to Mexico and South America is shown in the returns. During January last the arrivals at New York were 3,000 less than during January, 1888. From July 1st to February 1st the falling off was over 24,000. Italian immigration has declined nearly 50 per cent. This is a healthy change, as emigrants have been coming for several years too rapidly to be properly absorbed, civilized and provided for.

EX-SECRETARY WHITNEY has told the Washington correspondent of the Boston Herald that he can find Department on business principles. The bureau chiefs, most of whom had served under former administrations, he found reliable and competent, and he kept them in their places. Indeed, he had made but two changes in the bureau chiefs. As Whitney's Department was the only one which was managed with efficiency and is able to show honorable results, his admission that he relied upon Republican assistants is not likely to surprise anybody.

The Senate re-elected Mr. Ingalls President pro tem yesterday by a party vote, the Democrats supporting Mr. Voorhees. To make the opportunity for this election Vice President Morton absented himself from the Senate in the morning. This is the usual custom, though Vice President Hendricks refused to vacate the chair for the purpose four years ago, and when he died the Senate was left without a presiding officer. This was also before the passage of the Presidential succession bill, and there would have been no successor to Mr. Cleveland if he had died during the recess of the Senate.

GEN. BLACK, Commissioner of Pensions, has been detected in forcing public employees in his department to divide their salaries with political favorites. W. M. Miller, an old soldier, was promoted from a \$400 to a \$600 position, and compelled to divide the increase with a minor son of Black's private messenger. John Maloney, son of a soldier's widow, was reduced from \$600 to \$400 and afterwards restored on agreeing to divide half the increase with the son of an ex-rebel who is employed in the government printing office. These acts are crimes under the law, and Black is in danger of getting two years in prison and a fine.

## THE GOLD FEVER RAGING

On Pacific Slope; People Going To Lower California.

## RAILROAD WAR IN MONTANA

Battle Expected Between Union And Northern Pacific Employees.

## GENERAL SIMON CAMERON'S

Ninetieth Birthday Celebrated at Harrisburg To-Day.

## MANAGER WESTERN UNION

Will Not Produce Snath's Dispatches Before Committee.

## RESIGNATIONS TENDERED.

## EXODUS TO THE NEW GOLD FIELDS.

Thousands of Men En Route to Lower California Gold Regions.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 8.—The gold discoveries in Lower California have created intense excitement in every town in the Southern part of the State. The Santa Clara district, where the crowds are rushing, is 150 miles south of San Diego and 40 miles west of Escondido. All along the line thousands are en route to the fields. At San Diego the streets are filled with strangers outfitting for the mines, and with wagons and pack mules loaded with miners' outfits. An average of 600 men a day have left for the mines for the last four days, and yesterday the number was much larger. Waiters at the hotels and restaurants have largely left and two-thirds of the force on the Cuyamaca Railroad are gone. The best indication regarding the value of the mines is that no one has returned except to replenish grub and tools. The telegraphers have also joined the prospectors. Eight hundred men were camped at Tia Juana last night waiting clearance from the Custom House. Escondido is practically deserted by men. W. C. Vandenberg, C. Amendt, of San Diego, who were among the first to the mines, arrived at Escondido last night. Both are enthusiastic. Fifteen good rich ledges have already been discovered, and promise a permanent camp. James Kerran, of Los Angeles, returned from the camp last night. He said: "There are already over 1,000 men at the mines. The stuff brought out is pure gold, and light and flaky. The valley in which the mine was discovered has three well-defined gold quartz lodes. They descend from the mountains above in separate gulches. The gulch to the north is the one in which the greatest find has been made. Above are to be found croppings of slate and porphyry. A tracing has been made of one lode, 1,400 feet from the upper side of the valley into the mountains. At present in the valley four dry washers are located, only one of which is in operation. A great many rockers and ground sluices are being worked. The dirt is easily handled and the richest of returns are had in some instances. I saw one man who had knocked out \$200 in four hours, and he was nearly wild with joy. But above all things the prices of provisions are simply outrageous. I paid \$5 for a 50-pound sack of flour, \$3.50 for a 10-pound sack of oatmeal, and drinks are two bits apiece."

San Diego has about gone in a body to the gold country. Four telegrams have been received in this city requesting that hotel waiters be sent at once to San Diego, as none could be had there at any price. The guests were left to get their own meals out of the kitchen for one entire day. Yesterday afternoon a gentleman came up from the Santa Tarrama mines and brought with him \$9,000 in gold dust which he deposited in bank. Miners who came here for supplies returned on the evening trains. They say the Mexicans, who have been long at work at the diggings, are taking out gold to the extent of \$15 a day each. There is a great lack of mining implements and a crying want for rockers. As to the richness of the ground there is no doubt. The Mexicans pan out from 25 to 50 cents to the pan with which the gold miners now seem to be perfectly content. Indeed, they wink their eyes as much as to say "When those duffers get through we'll have a picnic." A Mexican took out \$250 in two days in a space eight feet square. There is no doubt as to the richness of the placers. The only question is how extensive are they? The best answer would seem to be found in the fact that the oldest residents and business men of Escondido went to the mines several weeks ago, and despite the fact that merchandise prices are much less numerous than on the Pacific coast, have returned. Upward of 500 men will leave Los Angeles for the mines at once.

A FORENOON DEVOTED TO BUSINESS. General B. F. Butler Among those who Called on President To-Day.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The rush of visitors to the White House continued to-day, but the callers were much less numerous than on the three previous days. For the first time since he entered the White House the President was able to devote the entire forenoon to visitors having business with him. He received upstairs in his office, and was engaged with them from 10 o'clock to nearly 1 o'clock. Among those who called were Vice-President Morton with Senator Hiseock, General B. F. Butler, Senators Quay, Farwell, Padgett, Dolph, Stewart, Wilson, of Iowa, Morrill, Mitchell, Morgan, Hawley, Cullum, Washburn, Sherman, Spooner, Stanford, Chase and Aldrich; Representatives McKinley, Hitt, Stivers, Herman, Reed, Morey, Caldwell, Taylor, Grosvener Butterworth, Browne, of Indiana, Chedde, Farquhar, Adams, Tracy, of Iowa, Cannon, Sawyer, Hendstead, Baker, Boothman, General W. L. Wales, ex-Senator Saunders and ex-Senator Bruce.

Charles W. Lanier (colored), of Indianapolis, has been appointed an usher at the White House in place of Michael Dwyer, who accompanied ex-President Cleveland to New-York.

## TROUBLE BREWING IN MONTANA.

Will Probably be a Fight Between Northern and Union Pacific Men.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

HELENA, Mont., March 8.—Wednesday night 800 men left Butte for the Jefferson Canon armed with Winchester rifles. They were employed by the Union Pacific Railroad and were under the captaincy of a man named Kenna. Their instructions are to hold the canon at all hazards. A large number of Northern Pacific men have started from Helena for the same place, and it is certain there will be trouble over the possession of the canon.

## Will Call on the President.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

NEW-YORK, March 8.—Ex-Senator Platt left for Florida, this morning. He will stop at Washington en route and call on President Harrison by invitation.

## A Suspension in Boston.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

BOSTON, March 8.—The Burdett's Son Lithographic Company suspended to-day. Liabilities \$100,000.

## Foreign Diplomats Received.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Secretary Blaine received a number of the diplomatic representatives of foreign governments this morning.

## Hon. R. W. Townsend Ill.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Representative Richard W. Townsend, of Illinois, is dangerously ill in this city.

## IN CEILING INVESTIGATION TO-DAY.

Manager W. U. T. Refuses to Produce Telegrams to and from Snath.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

ALBANY, March 8.—At this morning's session of the Ceiling Investigating Committee, Manager Snath, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was sworn and questioned in reference to the subpoena served upon him by the Committee, to produce copies of telegrams sent by or received by Snath, Howe, Sullivan and others. Witness said he had started a search for such telegrams. He declined to state whether he had found any, and so declined at the advice of the attorney of the Western Union Company. If the subpoena were modified as suggested by the Western Union Telegraph Company, yesterday, he could not say that he would even then produce the telegrams desired. Mr. Seward then orally modified the subpoena accordingly, asking for copies of all telegrams sent to or from Philadelphia of New York to Albany, from or to Snath, Mrs. Snath, Sullivan or Mrs. Sullivan. The subpoena, as taken by the stenographer, was then transcribed and given to Mr. Snath, who said he would confer with the Western Union officials as to complying with the subpoena. Assemblyman Ainsworth, Chairman of the Appropriations Committee, was sworn, and told the facts as to the first discussion in the Legislature of the safety of the ceiling. In the Legislature last year discussion of the matter came up early both on and off the floor. He had talked with many members of the House, Governor Hill and other State officers and experts, and the general opinion was that the ceiling was in an unsafe condition and must come down eventually, though some members thought it was all a scare. He talked with Commissioner Perry, who regarded the ceiling as unsafe. A resolution was introduced at one time providing for a wire netting to prevent the members from being injured by falling stones. Up to the time of the shoring up of the old ceiling witness had talked with no one except Commissioner Perry, experts and members. He had not consulted with Superintendent Andrews. He did not recollect the provisions of the bill introduced by Youngman. The bill was finally introduced by the Appropriations Committee was drafted by John I. Platt. The question of who should have charge of the work was discussed in Committee. Estimates by Commissioner Perry and Superintendent Andrews were presented to the Committee. The policies of the matter were also discussed in reference to the advisability of having this money expended on the eve of a Presidential election by Democratic candidates. The telegraphers and the Republicans associated with them. Many members of the Assembly had that feeling. "We were urged to it by Republican newspapers and it was regarded as our proper policy to make the appropriations as small as possible. I was not at all in favor of it, which might ordinarily be advisable had better be postponed until after the Presidential election unless there was a pressing exigency for them. Witness said he now had a much higher respect for Commissioner Perry than he had a year or two ago, but he told him in private conversation that he thought [he witness] had made a mistake and that he had misjudged him. Witness was satisfied now that Perry was not an active partisan, but was an active man in his respect. Witness said his only desire was to prevent placing the money of the State in the hands of either political party. It was his idea that the interests of the State would be better protected by associating men together who were to supervise the expenditure of money belonging to both political parties. He thought he was looking to the benefit of the whole people. Counselor Bowers showed witness a New-York Tribune containing what purported to be a copy of Andrews' estimate. Witness said he had positively identified the estimate and presumed it was correct. Andrews' estimate footed up \$123,000 and Perry's \$334,000. The amount in the bill reported was not as large as the original estimate, the Committee having eliminated certain items they deemed unnecessary. He could not state the amount in the bill as originally reported. The bill was introduced on April 28. Sheehan moved to insert the name of either Perry or Andrews to be in charge of the work. The Committee then put on Andrews' name. He thought it was on Platt's motion, for he was all through in the favor of Andrews. The bill was then passed by a vote of 50 to 30. Cottrell, Emery and Whipple. He said the Senate reduced the amount as it passed the House, by striking out certain work which they did not desire to have done. Witness did not care a snap whether Perry or Andrews had charge of the work. The Appropriations Committee was unable to agree on this point, motions to insert Perry and then Andrews being voted down. Witness acknowledged that he was thoroughly disappointed in the results accomplished by the bill. He said he acted as Chairman of the Appropriations Committee because he was a Republican and the other party, but his duties were largely usurped by other members of the Assembly. He tried to exercise what little remnant of authority was left to him. If Perry had done the work it would not have been done by contract. Witness should get the contract system was the safest way to do work of this character; he thought there were honest bids presented and had seen no evidence that would warrant him in reaching the conclusion that Andrews purposely so arranged the bid that Snath should get the contract.

## General Cameron 90 Years Old.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 8.—Mortien D. Banks' furniture store was burned to-day. Loss \$40,000.

## LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 8.—Kleinhaus and Simmons' mammoth general store on Market-street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was burned to-day. Loss \$200,000.

## TO AVERT FINANCIAL DISASTER.

Action Taken by Bank of France and English Copper Syndicate.

By Cable to the Freeman.

PARIS, March 8.—The Bank of France has advanced 100,000,000 francs to the Comptoir D'Escompte, which is sufficient to cover the amount of the deposits withdrawn from the latter bank.

The English copper companies have accepted the proposal made by the copper syndicate to reduce their output during 1889 20 per cent, and to postpone deliveries two months.

## DISTINGUISHED LADIES TO DANCE.

An Invitation by the Committee on Centennial Celebration.

By Telegram to the Freeman.

NEW-YORK, March 8.—The Committee of Entertainment on the Centennial Celebration of the Inauguration of George Washington have decided to invite the following ladies to dance in the opening quadrille at the ball to be given at the Metropolitan Opera House on April 29: Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, Mrs. William Astor, Mrs. William Waldorf Astor, Mrs. Grover Cleveland, Mrs. Frederick J. De Peyster, Mrs. Elbridge T. Gerry, Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, Mrs. Rutherford B. Hayes, Mrs. John Jay, Mrs. Archibald Grant, Mrs. Miss Carrola Livingston, Mrs. Levi P. Morton, Miss Schuyler, Mrs. Henry VanKenssler, Mrs. Sidney Webster.

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# Kingston Daily Freeman.

KINGSTON, N. Y., MARCH 8, 1889.

**Weather Indications.**  
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Indications for Saturday: Fair weather, preceded by light snow, cooler, north-easterly winds.

## PITCHING INTO CLEVELAND.

Mr. Cleveland's failure of re-election was mainly due to personal causes residing in himself. With many of the best qualities which can enter into a public official, and none of the worst, he had not the faculty to make friends. His lack of tact was aggressive. He possessed a genuine for neediness, incivility. He drove men from him and attached none to him. Instances of the amazing disregard of the amenities of life in cases where courtesy only was required could be multiplied.

The consequence was that in his own state, where there were most directly felt, his personal unpopularity was phenomenal, and the knives he had whetted for himself were accordingly numerous and incisive. In those points outside of the city of New York, i. e., Brooklyn, Rochester and Buffalo, the latter of his home, the losses sustained on account of the private enemies he had made among former friends were enough to cost him the state twice over.

For Cleveland, therefore, neither pleasing nor cheating to dwell upon. It undoubtedly secured his defeat at the hands of the people who knew him best.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

The above is Mr. Henry Waterson's opinion of ex-President Cleveland to-day. Six months ago there were no terms too lavish for the gallant Kentuckian in sounding the praises of the man who was then the leader of his party in a fight for life. Courage, consistency, loyalty, friendship, courtesy, honesty—all the many qualities that excite manly admiration were attributed to him. But he bravely led his party to the defeat that was inevitable, and now he is reviled and made the scapegoat of all its mistakes and sins.

Of course it is for the interest of tariff reformers like Waterson to ignore the real cause of defeat—the straight lunge of the party into the slough of free trade. They dare not admit the truth, for that would fasten the responsibility upon themselves and relieve Mr. Cleveland, who only did his bidding. They expect to go before the country on the same issue again in '92 and undertake another "campaign of intellect." And so it behooves them to tell the people that it was Cleveland's personality and not their "cause" that brought defeat.

And yet Mr. Cleveland's personal peculiarities were much more offensive in 1884 when he was successful than in 1888 when he met with defeat. He gained in popularity every day from his inauguration till his retirement. While he never won the love of the people like Lincoln or their gratitude and admiration like Grant, there came to be a general acquiescence in the verdict that he was a "good fellow," and there was enough kindly feeling towards him to have assured him a second term as his due except for the offensiveness of the partisanship which was put forward to represent. It was the free trade campaign that slew him. The heaviest blows were dealt in farming communities and manufacturing centers of the North, where his personal traits were held of no more account than those of the Prince of Wales. If he repelled the men of his party whose friendship it was to his interest to retain, it was not through personal dislike of the man who could take a drink with them, but because he was compelled to say "No" to ninety-nine in every hundred who asked him for an office. And even this was not his error, but the fault of the government in not making enough offices to go around. The Atlanta Constitution, in an article before us, clearly recognizes this fact. "An average appointment," it remarks, "makes for the man in power a dozen malignant enemies and one lukewarm friend, for the party in power a dozen sulking Achilles and one rather chirpy Ulysses." And the Constitution calculates with considerable confidence upon Democratic victory in 1892, because of the transfer of patronage to Gen. Harrison's shoulders—a warning that the Republican party would do well to heed.

We still believe that Mr. Cleveland was better than his party. It was his misfortune that he had not the firmness to resist the malignant elements, whose sole policy was to wreak revenge upon the North for its resistance to rebellion. Disregard of the "amenities of life" and even "needless incivility" do not count with the Democratic party as serious objections when there is a satisfactory distribution of favors. For if they were real objections Andrew Jackson would never have been President a second time, and David B. Hill would now be a tenant of his little law office in Elmira.

## IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Very little is heard from West Virginia since she had the unexpected good fortune to secure three live and active Governors, all eager to rule the little commonwealth at the same time. Wilson holds over and is serene, Goff is in the same position as when he took the oath, and awaits developments. Carr occupies the most unique position of all, for the only proper contentant of Goff is Fleming, who was the Democratic candidate. Fleming was willing to concede the position to Goff as the man elected on the face of the returns and then make a contest in the courts and try to prove fraud, but this did not satisfy Wilson. He loved the office himself, and reasoned that if a Democrat was to have a chance at it, the constitution gave him the first opportunity. Fleming is precluded from making a contest because Goff is unable to establish a basis for the beginning of a suit, as the courts say they can do nothing till the Legislature, which is the canvassing board, makes its return. This the Legislature declined to do before its adjournment, and has now gone home for a year. There is no Governor who can show the rightful authority to call an extra session. For this anomalous state of things Carr, who was President of the Senate, is largely responsible. He hoped to slip into the Governorship by the back door, while Goff came out at the front, but the greed of Wilson bars out both. Two of the Governors have obtained recognition and obedience, Goff being the Governor of the Republicans and Wilson of the Democrats. Carr is his own Governor and recognizes himself.

This condition of affairs has excited the disgust of that candid Democratic journal, the Brooklyn Eagle. It declares that Goff was elected and is entitled to the Governorship, that he should be obeyed and respected accordingly, and that such West Virginians as refuse to do so should be made to do so. It accordingly advises President Harrison to "order the officials of the federal government, in any dealings which that government may have with the officials of the commonwealth of West Virginia, to recognize and deal with Nathan Goff as Governor of West Virginia. That would settle the matter or start the events which would settle it." And as for canvassing boards that won't canvass and Senators that will not act on nominations, it hopes for the day when they will be put in jail for exemplary terms.

This is good strong language. If the Democratic papers of the North, conscious that the rascality of West Virginia politicians is injuring their party, would speak out in equally plain terms the difficulty would be settled without waiting for the action of the President. As he is not going to have a Southern policy but one broadly national, we may soon find it necessary to insist that West Virginia shall regulate her political affairs by the same rules that apply in those states in which elections are held and their results counted, declared and accepted.

## SMITH AND HIS BOODLE.

Contractor Smith's bank account was examined by the Ceiling Committee yesterday. On June 11, 1888, the account was begun with a credit of \$528.73. On the 6th of March inst. there remained \$39.92. In the interim Mr. Smith had deposited \$238,000 received from the state on the ceiling contract and \$150,000 drawn from private citizens. About \$90,000 of the state money was paid to sub-contractor Sullivan who appears to have done all the work, and \$90,000 was taken by Smith to pay for paper mache and for his own profit. The profit is supposed to have amounted to \$30,000 or \$30,000. Of the remaining \$88,000 no trace was obtained. It had been drawn out of the bank from time to time in sums of \$5,000 and \$10,000 and not redeposited. It is the disposal of this sum that excites the curiosity of the committee, and it is to be followed up with the persistence of the sleuth-hound. In this \$88,000 is supposed to be the boodle that was exacted from Smith by those who assisted him in obtaining the contract. Accountant Yalden was the witness employed by the committee to trace this bank account, and the figures here given are a part of his testimony. When Lawyer Hale, Smith's counsel, attempted to cross-examine Yalden he was silenced by the committee, and told to produce his client. Hale insisted on entering his "solemn protest" against the decision, but was told that it would not be received or put on record.

Another witness was Comptroller Wemple, who had returned from Brooklyn after being very urgently requested to do so. Mr. Wemple was put through a severe cross-examination, and utterly broke down in trying to explain why he paid Smith \$15,000 in excess of the amount stipulated in the contract, and to Mr. Andrews \$7,500 for services when he was entitled to only his regular salary. Mr. Wemple made a very sorry and humiliating exhibition of himself on the stand. It is not likely that he will want to run again next fall, with his testimony on record.

## PUBLIC OPINION.

If the bayonet alone can keep the ballot box inviolate to the citizen, put the bayonet right there. That is not only Republicanism, but Americanism.—*Boston Traveller.*

Grover Cleveland is now one of the plain people to whom he so often referred in his messages.—*Cleveland Leader.*

If the McKee baby shall bring children in to fashion again, the change of administration will not have been wholly in vain.—*Denton Transcript.*

Epaminondas, sometime conqueror of Sparta, once did justice to the nursery in a famous sentence. "I," said he, "rule the Thebans; my wife rules me, and my baby rules my wife. Thus you may see who is the ruler of Thebes." There is much ground for suspecting that when Chief Justice Fuller administered the oath on the east portico Baby McKee went into office.—*Philadelphia Times.*

There are two noticeable things about this Cabinet. The first is that it is composed of men in the vigorous maturity of their powers, physical and intellectual. The second is that five of its eight members are ex-soldiers of the Union.—*Hartford Courant.*

Albany was fortunate in having a count made of its inhabitants before the Capitol Investigation Committee got to work. That body is depopulating the old town almost as fast as the yellow fever emptied Jacksonville last autumn.—*Troy Press.*

Cleveland's fight with Hill began in earnest when the White House door was shut behind him, but whether it is a fight to win the Democratic nomination of 1892, or only to crush Hill's chances, remains to be seen.—*Brooklyn Standard Union.*

Larceny of a baby as bailie is the first case involving international negotiations to be laid before Secretary of State Blaine. That's right. This administration is going to protect American citizens abroad, from the cradle to the grave.—*New York Press.*

The community that by concert, open or secret, among its citizens, denies to a portion of its members their plain rights under the law, has severed the only safe bond of social order and prosperity. This is not a violent statement by President Harrison; his words are calm and well-considered, but weighty and compact of truth. The communities that do the things petted out by the President should take warning. He will have one policy for the whole country; but he is well aware of the powers over elections conferred by the Constitution upon Congress.—*New York Tribune.*

It is said that Mr. Blaine proposes to push the appointments in his department with as much speed as possible. That means a great deal for Mr. Blaine is a great worker, and the declaration of his purpose makes it evident that he proposes to infuse as much life as possible into this administration.—*Albany Times, Dem.*

Some Democratic contemporaries affect to regard Gen. Tracy's record as not big enough and brilliant enough for New York's reputation in the Cabinet. Men as well as women, let us be honest. What was the public record of Manning, Whitney and Fairchild when appointed, compared with that of Gen. Tracy as District Attorney, Assemblyman, Soldier, Judge of the Court of Appeals and Lawyer of the first rank? Yet Manning, Whitney and Fairchild proved creditable representatives of New York in the late Cabinet.—*Rochester Union and Advertiser, Dem.*

## SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

"Deeper than e'er plummet sounded" some people's coughs seem to come from, yet a bottle of Dr. Williams' cough syrup will cure them. It goes away down to the bottom of matters and works wonders. Pleasant to take and good for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, etc. Price 25 cents.

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## OPENING OF NAVIGATION.

THE CONDITION OF THE HUDSON RIVER THIS DAY.

Steamboats that have resumed their routes—Bottoms Making Ready for the Season's Work—Lists of Officers of Popular Steamers.

The wind blew a gale on the Hudson River, last night and to-day, and where ice, yesterday, remained long shore, it was torn loose and carried away by the tide. Between this City and Hudson the River is clear, and above that point but little ice remains. Ferry-boats are making regular trips and meeting with no serious obstacles. At Crum Elbow, where large floating fields were piled up, for the past two days, the wind effected a "break," and by to-morrow the "Elbow," it is believed, will be open. In fact the condition of the Hudson was such to-day that but little difficulty would have been experienced for a steamboat to have made a trip from New York to this City. What ice there is in the Hudson is fast disappearing.

STORME BRIGITLY.

The lamp in the Exposed Light House shone brightly last night. The lamp had not been lighted before since the close of navigation last fall.

ON THEIR ROUTES.

The propeller D. S. Miller, which arrived at Poughkeepsie from New York on Thursday morning, is now running regularly between those places. It has encountered but little ice. The propeller Hasbrouck will probably resume its route on Saturday, March 16.

ON WEDNESDAY next navigation was opened between New York and Newburgh by the propeller Newburgh, of the Homer Ramsdell Transportation Company, making the initial trip from the Metropolis to that place. The only ice that the propeller encountered was near Cold Spring, but it was not of sufficient thickness to impede the boat's progress. The propeller Homer Ramsdell, owned by the same Company, will begin running to-morrow.

THE FIRST TOW.

The first tow from this port to New York City will probably leave here on Monday, and will be made up of the following craft: Tugboats Tugboat, Chauncey, Cranlow, Close, Boker, ice boat Beach, for the Ridgewood Ice Company; ice barge David Anderson, for the Newark Ice Company; boats Albert Lattie, J. S. Sutton, Charles E. Rourke, John Owens and several cement boats. It is not as yet known which of the Cornell Steamship Company's boats will take the tow.

PASSENGER STEAMERS.

The steamer "City of Kingston," of the Cornell Steamboat Company's line; and the steamboats James W. Baldwin, J. H. Tremper and M. Martin, of the Rorer & Tremper line, are being painted and otherwise improved. No dates have yet been made or fixed for the start of the "City of Kingston." Baldwin will begin to make regular trips between Rondout and New York City. The Tremper and Martin, will probably be started about March 25.

NAMES OF OFFICERS.

The "City of Kingston," this season, will be officered as follows:

W. S. van Kuren	Captain
George H. Lott	First Pilot
J. H. Brando	Second Pilot
Charles Lantz	Engineer
A. A. van Woert	Steward
Henry F. Gault	Freight Clerk
O. A. Smith	Assistant Freight Clerk
Henry Van Woert	Mate

The following will be the officers of the James W. Baldwin:

Isaac DeLange	Captain
James A. Secore	First Pilot
George H. Lott	Second Pilot
John J. Kellerman	Engineer
David Jackson	Steward
John J. Kellerman	Freight Clerk
John J. Kellerman	Assistant Freight Clerk
John J. Kellerman	Mate

The officers of the steamboat J. H. Tremper will be:

T. Scott Milligan	Captain
E. R. Hunter	First Pilot
R. P. Cook	Second Pilot
James Smith	Engineer

On the steamboat M. Martin the officers will be as follows:

Zachariah Roosa	Captain
C. de la Montagne	Clerk
Edward Lawson	Freight Clerk
Nathan Purdy	Engineer
Thomas Gallagher	Mate

BOATS AND BOATMEN.

The tug built at Athens will be named Idlewild.

The propeller J. C. Hart, of the Cornell Steamboat Company's line, is being painted. The steam passenger yacht Charles A. Schulz, of the Haber Steamboat Company's line, running between Rondout and Eddyville, is being well patronized.

Repairs to the steam yacht Eltigue Anderson, now on McMullen's ways at Slightburgh, have been completed, and the yacht will be launched in a day or two.

NOTES.

The Hudson River was closed by ice this winter for the shortest time in 39 years. Navigation at Poughkeepsie was suspended for a little less than one month during the season of 1888-89.

MINOR NOTES AROUND THIS TOWN.

Heard by Attaches of "The Daily Freeman" on the Streets To-day.

There will be a meeting of this City's Common Council to-night.

The snow shovel was an article but little used this winter in this City.

Sixteen eggs for 25 cents were sold by Ulster County farmers on Rondout streets to-day.

The members of the Fourteenth Separate Company, of this City, held a meeting last night.

Fair weather, preceded by light snow, cooler, north-westerly winds, promised by "indications" for Saturday.

F. Gallagher, of Kingston, has decided to erect a dwelling house on Fair-street, between St. James and Bowery-streets.

Charles G. Keator, of Roxbury, proprietor of one of the largest dairies in Delaware County, was in Rondout yesterday.

James J. Styles, of Kingston, celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday on Thursday. Mr. Styles is a vigorous man for his age.

TOWNS HAVE BEGUN PROCEEDINGS.

To Compel County Treasurer to Set Aside Certain Moneys.

Eight of the towns in Delaware County which issued bonds and took stock in the Rondout & Oswego and Midland Railroads have begun proceedings similar to those begun by the towns of Olive and Rosendale, in Ulster County, to compel the County Treasurer of Delaware County to set aside the money paid by the railroad for taxes to create a sinking fund to pay the bonded indebtedness of the towns. Eleven of the non-bonded towns have continued to resist the proceedings, and a Committee representing their interests came to Kingston, to-day, and consulted with A. T. Clearwater, as counsel, to assist in the defense of the proceedings.

A False Rumor.

It was rumored in Kingston, yesterday afternoon, that a portion of the Overlook Mountain House had blown down. People from "the Ridge" looked through powerful glasses to see if there was truth in the story. The house stood out plainly, and apparently in good condition. The tower could be seen with the naked eye.

Philharmonic Society.

The members of the Kingston Philharmonic Society are actively rehearsing for a benefit concert to be given in the month of April.

Has the Asthma.

It is said a Kingston young woman is the owner of a piano which has the asthma.

## SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK SYSTEM.

Said to be Working Successfully in District No. 3, Rondout.

At a recent meeting of the Trustees of School District No. 3, Rondout, the Principal, J. Radie, reported the working of the School Savings Bank in the school. During the 11 weeks the system has been in operation, \$91.65 have been deposited in the bank as a school fund. At the end of each month deposits of any pupil amounting to \$1 or more were transferred from the school fund to an individual account and a book for the same given to the pupil. In this way \$55.91 were transferred to individual accounts and 32 bank books are now in the hands of pupils. The number of depositors is 118 and of the entire deposit \$1.50 have been withdrawn, while a balance of \$34.24 remains in the school fund. From a consideration of these figures it will be seen that the system is accomplishing the purpose intended. It is teaching the children, in a practical manner, to be careful in small things. Experience so far shows that the School Savings Bank receives pennies saved by the children, and is in no sense used as a convenience by their parents. The deposits are made largely in pennies, five and ten cent pieces. At the rate of these first few weeks, the deposits for a school year would amount to some \$350, which, in itself, is worth preserving from being squandered in useless, if not often in injurious, ways. But when account is taken of the formation of habits of thrift by patient and persistent accumulation of small sums, the benefits arising from the system become so obvious that its general adoption is not justlyifiable, but extremely desirable. Since its inception nearly four years ago, the School Savings Bank has won for itself such popular favor that a bill is at present before the Legislature at Albany to make it a part of the regular school work throughout the State, and a resolution is now being considered by the Board of Education in the City of New York, arranging for its introduction into the schools of that City. In this State the system has been introduced voluntarily by progressive teachers in Long Island City, Buffalo, Amsterdam, Horn-ville, Elmira and many smaller places.

## PASTORS, PEOPLES AND CHURCHES.

News Gleaned in the Religious Field in this City and Vicinity.

The proceeds of the Martha Washington party recently held in the Reformed Church, High Falls, was \$105.

The members of the Clinton-Avenue Congregational Church, Albany, are talking of erecting a new church edifice.

The members of the Kingston Young Men's Christian Association Auxiliary will hold a meeting in the Association rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The first annual conference of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, of Delaware and Chenango Counties, will be held at Norwich, on March 13 and 14.

Interesting services will be held in the Clinton-Avenue M. E. Church, Kingston, on Sunday evening. It will be a quarterly missionary meeting of the Sunday school classes. Short addresses will be delivered.

The Rev. J. J. Keegan delivered his farewell sermon in St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Goshen, on Sunday. He goes to a charge in New York. He will be succeeded at Goshen by the Rev. Dr. Callaghan, lately of St. Stephen's, Warwick.

The Rev. Dr. Johnson Myers, of Cincinnati, who has resided in this City, and who has been called to a charge in New York City, is thus spoken of by the *New York Enquirer*:

"We are rejoicing in the disappointment awaiting the Central Church, of New York. The Rev. Dr. J. Myers, of Cincinnati, belongs there—that is, the Ninth-street. It is quite right and natural, as well as scriptural, that the Central should 'cover earnestly the best gifts,' but we can show them a more excellent way. Let them bear with patience the discipline of disappointment. Mr. Myers will remain in Cincinnati. It would be a sad thing for the Church if he should leave. His Church has risen as one man and refused to let him go. A man 650 strong is a sizeable affair, and can hold one man down."

Mr. Myers was at one time a member of the Kingston Baptist Church.

## THE RECORD OF CITY AMUSEMENTS.

Barry and Fay To-night—Miss Settle Blume—American Opera Company.

Moore and Vivian and company will appear at Liscomb's Opera House, Rondout, on March 15, in the play of "Solon Shingle."

On Wednesday evening, March 20, the American Opera Company will be at Kingston Opera House. The Company numbers 80 people.

The following is about Miss Settle Blume, the clownist, and it was first published in the *New York Sun*: "She is a charming reader, always securing the interest of her auditors, moving them readily from laughter to tears. The young lady is beyond doubt a genius, possessing a winsome way, and richly endowed with all the qualifications essential to a dramatic reader. On March 18 Miss Blume will give readings at Liscomb's Opera House, Rondout, in aid of a building fund for the Congregation Emanuel. Miss S. Crosby, violinist, of this City, will assist."

At Liscomb's Opera House, to-night, Barry and Fay, well known Irish comedians, will appear in the comedy entitled, "McKenna's Flirtation." The *New York Sun* has said of this comedy: "There are a great many comedians, but the most irresistible of the whole profession are Barry and Fay. Seldom is such utter abandonment to mirth seen as was witnessed at the Grand Opera House last night. Old, straight-laced, solemn-visaged citizens, seldom known to smile, threw themselves into all sorts of contortions and whooped and yelled like schoolboys. A man in the very jaws of destruction would be bound to laugh at 'McKenna's Flirtation.'"

That Precocious Boy Again.

A precocious Poughkeepsie boy had his photograph "taken" the other day. His uncle, desiring to send one of the portraits to a friend in England, wrote the following on a slip of paper and asked the boy to recopy it on the back of the portrait:

"To Uncle—My 'English Friend,'  
"From a Little American boy."

When the portrait and copy were given the lad he shook his head and appeared dissatisfied. His mother asked him why he acted in that manner.

"I ain't going to send my picture to the English, because they came over here and taxed us on tea," was the youngster's answer.

Accidents.

Joseph Hampson, of Newburgh, slipped and fell on a sidewalk there, on Tuesday evening. His leg was broken.

William Pierce was killed at the Sterling iron mines, Orange County, on Wednesday by being struck on the head by a large rock.

Thomas Kelley, Jr., an Erie brakeman residing at Otisville, fell from a coal train, near Port-Jervis, on Tuesday morning, and was killed.

Deaths and Funerals.

John A. Gildersleeve, of Poughkeepsie, died yesterday, of cancer of the stomach.

Isaac S. Secor, of Hugobonville, Dutchess County, dropped dead in his barn on Wednesday of heart disease.

The Rev. W. T. Clapp, of the Baptist Church, Tanners, Putnam County, died on Monday of heart disease.

White Cap Nonsense.

Last night an alleged "White Cap" letter was shoved under a Rondout man's door. The recipient of the letter says he will have it framed and preserve it "in remembrance of one of the biggest fools on earth."

Special Term.

There will be a regular special term of the Supreme Court held at Chambers, Kingston, on Saturday next. It is expected that Judge Edwards will preside.

Society Notes.

The "Haymakers" of Kingston's Tribe of Improved Order of Red Men, held a meeting last night.

## LIST OF APPOINTMENTS.

OF NOTARIES PUBLIC FILED IN COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

When the Terms of Office of Those Reappointed Expire—Must Qualify On or Before Certain Time—Names of The Appointees.

The following list of appointments of notaries for this County has been filed in the Ulster County Clerk's office, in Kingston. The terms of office of those reappointed expire March 30. County Clerk Wurts has sent out notices to each person to qualify on or before that time:

City of Kingston, DuBois G. Atkins, James A. Betts, Joseph M. Schaeffer, A. W. Reynolds, Alva S. Newcomb, John E. Kraft, D. E. Keyser, Cornelius Hume, Everett Fowler, O. P. Carpenter, Howard Chipm, Jr., James Cummings, Henry B. DePuy, Daniel B. Devo, Morris W. Eling, Luke R. Ford, S. B. Sharpe, Israel Snyder, John G. VanRiten, L. B. VanGaasbeck, Virgil B. VanWagonen, Matthew Winchell, Henry Abney, Edwin D. Brando, Oscar L. Eastman, Christopher C. Flannigan, William Rioser, DeWitt Roosa, Peter E. Schoonmaker, Frederick Stephan, Jr., J. H. Stratton, Ellenville, Morris Deponal, John R. Devany, John T. DeWitt, Mrs. Mary E. Hansse, James B. Keeler, Cornelius A. VanWagoner, Sangerites, Benjamin M. Conner, Benjamin M. Drink, Charles Davis, Samuel W. Merced, Richard B. Overbaugh, Carroll Whitaker, Rosendale, Abraham B. DuBois, George W. Hasbrouck, Rufus Snyder, Accord, William O. Haines, John D. Winfield, High Falls, John Brodhead, L. Krom, Walckill, James Bostwick, Samuel J. Dill, George Kresler, New-Paltz, George E. Rust, John Schmid, Marlborough, John Rusk, Jr., David Sands, Port-Jervis, B. Fuller McKenzie, P. A. Schreyer, Josiah Hasbrouck, Jr., Crawford, Benjamin S. Fullerton, Fly Mountain, Ralph Burger, George Glen, Abramant, West Hurley, John E. Everett, Woodstock, Ednor Snyder, Marlborough, John C. Oliver, Milton, C. Meach Woolsey, Mom-bocuss, William H. Terwilliger, Napanoch, Louis Champagne, Olive, Jeremiah Matthews, Phoenicia, John Blythe, Cornelius C. Wines, Quarryville, William H. Hommel, Jr., Shawangunk, C. A. J. Harderbach, Shokan, Benjamin Turner, Jr., Stone Ridge, Abram Kelder, Ulster Park, Daniel W. Benton, Highland, Abraham D. Lent, Bellayre, William E. Blair, Brodheads, Andries D. W. Delamater.

## RECOGNIZED HIM BY THE SCAR.

Story Related by a Kingston Man—After Many Years.

"There are many changes in this world," said a Kingston man to-day. "When I was a boy and went to school I had a playfellow who was the raggedest, dirtiest urchin I think I ever saw. One day we quarreled. He struck me with a stone on my head. I carried the scar to this day. Not long after my father moved from the place where we then lived, and in course of time I came to this City. Recently I had occasion to take a business trip and stopped in the town where I went to school with the ragged urchin. On one of the streets in the place I saw a name on a sign that seemed familiar. It brought up a flood of memories, and I went to see if it was a handsome building. I inquired where the merchant proprietor was. I was directed to an office. I walked in. 'I have something to say to you,' I said. 'Well, sir,' he answered. 'I will be glad to hear you.' 'You struck me with a stone, what have you to say to that?' 'My dear sir,' replied the gentleman, 'you are laboring under a mistake. I don't even know you.' 'You did,' I shouted, 'and I can prove it.' He looked a little startled, then settling back in his chair said, 'very well, I will hear your proofs.' 'I pushed back my hair,' I said, 'you see that scar? You struck me with a stone. That scar is the result.' A light of recognition broke over his face, he said, 'you are John—' and jumping to his feet he wrung my hand. He insisted upon my going with him to his home and accepting his hospitality. I lived in clover for two days, being unable to turn myself away. My ragged playfellow was one of the wealthiest men in the town."

## SOME PHASES OF THE SEAMY SIDE.

Before Recorder Huesey—Will Make Appearances—The Jail List.

There were 40 inmates in the Ulster County Jail, Kingston, last night.

There are 23 prisoners in the Dutchess County Jail who were sentenced by Justices of the Peace in the town of Fishkill.

Charles Lewis, Tax Collector in the town of Highlands, Orange County, was assaulted on the highway, Sunday morning, near Cox's Flat, and robbed of \$170.

In Recorder's Court, this forenoon, men named James Wilson, David Stanley and Hubert Rice were sentenced to the Ulster County Jail for 30 days each for intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Men named Erasmus Brouman, Thomas Fabish, Valentin Karzowski and a woman named Anna Brouman, charged with assaulting one Roman Kokocinski, of Rondout, settled the matter, this forenoon, in Recorder's Court, without going to trial.

Two houses were robbed at Pleasant Valley, Dutchess County, on Tuesday. At the house of Henry Horton a pocketbook, which had been secreted under a carpet and contained \$120, was secured, and at the house of Jacob Storms \$60.

William Burke, who was sent to the Ulster County Jail in Kingston yesterday, to await the action of the Grand Jury, for stabbing John Boylan with a knife, on Friday night, will make an application to the Special Term of the Supreme Court, Saturday, to be admitted to bail.

## ULSTER CO. SURROGATE'S COURT.

Hearing to be Had in Matter of a Large Estate—The Facts.

On Tuesday a hearing will be had in Ulster Surrogate's Court in the matter of the estate of James T. Soutter, who was born in Virginia. He amassed considerable property, leaving an estate of nearly \$1,000,000. His will was made in London. A codicil was executed in New York, his place of residence.

Both will and codicil were entered in the Ulster County Surrogate's office in 1867. The opening clause of the will is as follows:

"Grateful to the Giver of every good, that He has given me some property to bestow upon my family, and still more grateful that He has given me loved ones to whom I can transmit it, I, James Taylor Soutter, a native of the State of Virginia, and resident of the City of New York, and now of London, England, do proceed to declare this to be my last will and testament," etc.

There has been litigation for several years in the United States Circuit. Lately the matter was brought in Ulster Surrogate's Court, an accounting of the Executors being asked for. The account was filed this week. It embraces items to the amount of \$1,633,925.57, and covers 100 printed pages and 13 type-written pages. It is the most voluminous account ever filed in the Ulster Surrogate's office.

Ice Notes.

Ice cutting ended at Rockland Lake Saturday. One-third the usual crop was gathered.

The amount of ice stored at Coeymans exceeds by about 6,000 tons the amount shipped from that locality during 1888. The amount stored is 94,000.

The Knickerbocker Ice Company succeeded in getting its Staatsburgh house about half full—12,000 tons. The Mutual Benefit Company at the same place housed 20,000 tons and stacked 5,000.

Let It Scream.

Monroe Truesdell, of Preston Hollow, Greene County, has an eagle that has a spread of wings of eight feet.

Industrial.

The Harper W. Rogers Paper Company of Hudson, has been incorporated with a capital of \$30,000.

## PUBLISHED SIXTY-EIGHT YEARS AGO.

Some of the Items of News Gathered in Days Gone By.

A Kingston man has a file of newspapers published here 68 years ago. The following are some of the items of news of that date:

"An ingenious machine has been invented so that one man can make 20,000 weight of candles in a day."

The following is charged for tuition at Kingston Academy: "Spelling, reading and writing per quarter \$2.25; arithmetic, English grammar and geography \$2.50; geometry and trigonometry with application to the art of surveying, \$3; algebra, \$4. Each scholar must provide stationery and a share of fire-wood."

Colonel John Dumond orders the commissioned and non-commissioned officers and musicians of the One Hundred and Thirty-First Regiment to meet in Saugerites "equipped as the law directs for military improvement."

It is stated in one of the papers as an extraordinary circumstance that after a Circuit Court had sat six days, to the great astonishment of the attorneys and everybody else, it was found that the whole civil business had been disposed of. When the District Attorney was asked if he had any criminal business he replied he had not. Fifty contested civil cases had been tried, and there were six convictions of crime. The editor goes on to compliment the Judge; that his charges to the jury "were luminous and satisfactory," and closes by saying that "Providence placed this Judge in that position, and the people should retain him there." Why Providence did not keep him there, is not explained.

Chancellor Kent grants an injunction against a steamboat from New Jersey, which ventured to carry passengers from New York to Albany, on the ground that the Legislature has given the exclusive right in this State to the After River steamboat proprietors to carry passengers.

A quarter of a column is devoted to an accident which befell a boy in the town of Marlborough. The boy while swimming in the "Redoubt" Creek suddenly disappeared. His companions left the Creek and some distance away found a negro man who was a good swimmer and asked him to come to their aid. They examined several holes in the Creek without finding the boy. Finally one of the party looking into a deep hole, shouted: "I see him, he stands on his head." The colored man caught him by the leg and pulled him out. After the boy had thrown up a quantity of water he was resuscitated.

It is stated with exclamation points that at least \$500,000 are annually sent out of the United States to pay for imported leghorn bonnets.

"Madame Catalina cleared 15,000 guineas during a four months' excursion to Russia, besides receiving presents from the Imperial Family and nobility worth as much more. Her voice is still said to be in full vigor."

The barn and cow-house of a man were struck by lightning and burned. The paper says: "It is hoped this additional instance of the frequency of barns being struck by lightning will induce farmers to provide themselves with lightning rods," and then it goes on to say that the man whose barn was burned had bought a lightning rod and had placed a ladder against his barn to put it up.

"The remains of Major Andre were discovered at Tappan, under the direction of the British Consul. Great caution was observed in taking up a small peach tree that was growing out of the grave, as the Consul stated his intention of sending it to His Majesty, to be planted in one of the royal gardens. When they reached the coffin the lid was raised, and the skeleton of brave Andre appeared entire, bone to bone, each in its place. The remains were taken in a sarcophagus on board 'His Majesty's packet.'"

Mrs. Timothy Beadle recently died at Poughkeepsie, leaving a bag containing 25,600 six-pences.

Among the Ulster Oyster and Terminus men are the following: "Tom, a slave, convicted of assault and battery—one year in the County prison. Eve, a free black woman, crime grand larceny—to State Prison four years."

On Wednesday, March 20, the following item appears: "The navigation of the Hudson is now altogether free from obstruction of ice. Two of our sloops returned from New York on Sunday last, having left our landing seven days previously, which is an earlier commencement of navigation of that River than has been known for several years past."

## Could Not Think of Name.

The following conversation ensued between two Kingston lawyers this forenoon:

"Won a law suit in Napanoch, eh?"

"Yes, had jury trial, verdict for defendant."

"Umph! Before what justice did you try it?"

"Squire—Squire—well let me see, what is his name? Oh! what's the name of that stuff you drink that gives fizz when you pour it out?"

"Jersey cider?"

"No."

"Champagne?"

"Yes, that's it, we tried the suit before 'Squire Champagne, of the town of Wawarsing."

## Great is New-Paltz.

(From the New-Paltz Times.)

Knapp, one of the officers of the Dutchess and Ulster Farmers' Club, is in favor of holding meetings on this side of the Hudson River. All right, Mr. Knapp, come to New-Paltz. We have a large public hall, State Normal School, Insane Asylum and a new Poor House. In fact, New-Paltz is the only wide-awake, go-ahead town in Ulster County.

Two long lines, two printing offices, and has furnished more men to fill county offices than all the other towns outside of Kingston combined. We repeat, come over, Mr. Knapp, and bring all the Dutchess County farmers and fruit-growers with you. We have room for all.

## The Snow Fall in Delaware.

(From the Andes Recorder.)

The snow fall so far this season has been three inches in November, nine in December, 13 in January and 23 in February. Once in December the mercury fell below zero, once in January, and nine times in February, an average of temperature as cold as December and January together. This is quite a diversity as compared with ordinary winters in larger quantities of rain and less depth of snow. South winds have prevailed more than usual the past three months.

Affairs of Railroads.

A railroad to run between Bethlehem and Schoharie, Schoharie County, may soon be built.

The experiment of lighting Wagner cars with gas will soon be tried on the New-York Central Railroad.

The West Shore Railroad list of hotels and boarding houses along its route for the season of 1889 is in course of preparation. Many additions have been made.

Case of Local Interest.

The case of Eliza Ann Shaffer, respondent, vs. Joseph H. Risley, appellant, was argued in the Second Division of the Court of Appeals, at Albany, to-day, by John F. Cloonan, of Rondout, for appellant, William Lounsbury, of Kingston, for respondent.

Sporting.

James T. VanDusen was elected Commodore of the Newburgh Canoe and Boating Association, at the annual meeting, Tuesday evening.

Good for Coxswack!

Coxswack has a surplus in its village treasury. Few places along the Hudson River are similarly affluenced.

Fishermen Prophecy.

Shad fishermen here expect that toothsome fish to put in an early appearance this year and are making preparations for their work.

## ALONG THE HUDSON RIVER.

A DAY'S NEWS IN A NUMBER OF ENTERPRISING COUNTIES.

What Has Been Transpiring in the Counties on the East and West Shores—The Gist of the Gossip—On Presented—Men, Matters, Things, Etc.

A lodge of the order of Red Men may be established at Coeymans.

Cuyler Lansing, of Poughkeepsie, was severely bruised by a runaway yesterday.

William W. Smith and wife, of Poughkeepsie, have gone on an extended Southern trip.

Rhinebeck has voted to continue work on the roads with a stone crusher. The appropriation is \$2,000.

Joseph Hampson, of Newburgh, fell and broke his leg, on Tuesday evening by reason of a defective sidewalk.

A brook-carrier named Dawson fell from a scaffold, at Newburgh, Tuesday forenoon, and broke his leg in two places.

At a recent drill the Cowles Guard of Hudson, numbered 55 men, besides an "ardward squad" of half dozen recruits.

There was a "run" on florists along the Hudson River, on Saturday, on account of the large demand for cut flowers at Washington.

Miss Maria Spennburgh, of Coeymans, while doing her housework to-day recently fell in such a manner as to fracture her breast bone.

There is great dissatisfaction people with the water furnished Poughkeepsie found and a message has been sent to the Water Board on that subject.